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REMARKS

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Korneuburg

1. On 21 March 1951, the Albrechts Kaserne in Korneuburg (P 49/S 30) was heavily occupied by troops who wore red-bordered black epaulets. Soldiers practiced rifle aiming in the yard. Trucks were seen in the billeting area, and trucks were observed entering the installation. 25X1
2. Fourteen officers, including one major and three captains, wearing red-bordered black epaulets, were seen at the Soviet office at 7-9 Hovenasse during one hour period on 21 March. Passenger cars were seen in front of the office; both were driven by soldiers with red-bordered black epaulets. Eleven trucks, were parked in the garage opposite the office. The garage personnel wore red-bordered black epaulets. 25X1
3. About 40 soldiers were training with AA guns and AA machine guns in the encampment at the road to Bisamberg (P 49/S 30). Six AA machine guns, 16 medium AA guns with funnel-shaped muzzle brakes and 20 AA guns of about 80-mm caliber with muzzle brakes were seen in the encampment. 25X1

Stockerau

4. On 22 March, the Prinz Eugen Kaserne in Stockerau (O 49/S 21) quartered an undetermined number of troops who wore red-bordered black epaulets. About 40 to 50 soldiers practiced in the barracks yard with AA guns which had funnel-shaped muzzle brakes and protective shields. Each gun was towed by a truck. Jeep driven by a soldier with red-bordered black epaulets, entered the installation. West of the Prinz Eugen Kaserne there were three wooden sheds guarded by sentries who wore red-bordered black epaulets. The purpose of the sheds could not be determined. 25X1

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5. The collective billeting area of the Jaeger and Artillerie Kaserne was occupied by troops who wore red-bordered black epaulets. Training devices for firing at air targets were seen in the billeting area. There was little activity on 22 March. [redacted] seven trucks parked in the garages. \*

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Comment.

[redacted] all installations mentioned are occupied by component units of the 23d AAA Div or Regt. The information does not indicate that the troops have already moved to the AAA range in Apatlon. Such a movement would correspond to AAA troop movements in the Soviet Zone of Germany in March 1951.

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